

Senate District S

Lyman F. Hoffman, Democrat



DATE OF BIRTH: February 13, 1950

PLACE OF BIRTH: Bethel, Alaska

NAME OF SPOUSE: Lillian

CHILDREN: Trina Short, Douglas Hoffman

RESIDENCE ADDRESS: 243 Akiak Drive
Bethel, Alaska 99559

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Bethel, Alaska 99559

OCCUPATION: Businessman, fisherman

LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: Lifetime

Bethel	1975 to present
Fairbanks	1973-1974
Bethel	1972-1973
Fairbanks	1968-1972
Bethel	1950-1968

EDUCATION:
Bethel High School, 1964-1968, Diploma; University of Alaska
Fairbanks, 1968-1974, Business Administration.

POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:
City Manager, Bethel, 1977-1985; State Representative, 1987-
1990, 1993-1994; State Senator, 1991-1992, 1995-2002; House
Finance Committee, 1989-1990, 1993-1994; Senate Finance
Committee, 1991-1992, 2001-2002.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:

Deputy Director, Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corporation; board of
directors, Bethel Native Corporation; owner, Bethel Drilling &
Welding; owner, Kisarelik Unlimited Inc.; owner, Golden Eagle
Unlimited; owner, Blue Sky Estates.

SERVICE ORGANIZATION(S) MEMBERSHIP:

Former chair, board of directors, Bethel Prematernal Home;
former Planning Commissioner, City of Bethel; former board
member, Bethel Family Clinic.

SPECIAL INTERESTS:

Hunting, fishing, boating.

OTHER:

Over the past 31 years, I have been either working or involved
in governmental services. I enjoy working for the people to
provide the best and most efficient services possible.

STATEMENT:

As a lifelong Alaska resident, a commercial fisherman, a
businessman, and city manager for over seven years, I have the
necessary skills to best represent Senate District S.

•**Education** - My wife and I have had the pleasure of raising two
children. We now have two grandchildren and it is very important
that they and all children receive the best education possible.
This is why I have fought to fund education at its highest level. I
have also fought to fund new school construction. It is very hard
for our children to learn when they are sitting in old worn out
buildings.

•**Water and Sewer** - During the last several years the legislature
has focused on water and sewer needs for all Alaskans,
particularly those in rural Alaska. We must continue this effort in
conjunction with the Federal Government until all Alaskans enjoy
the benefits of running water and sewer.

•**Fish and Wildlife Management** - Over the past few years we
have seen a decline in both our moose and salmon populations.
At the time the republican controlled legislature cut the general
fund portion to the Fish and Game budget. This must be reversed
in order for the managers of our resources to address this major
problem.

**With my sixteen years in the Legislature, ten of them in the
Senate and eight years on the Finance Committees, I believe
I am the most qualified to represent you in the next Alaska
Legislature.**

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